













# THE NORWAY ADVERTISER

**Coming Events.**  
 April 8—Auction, W. E. Bumpus, Oxford Village.  
 April 10—Annual meeting, Norway Village Corporation.  
 April 23—Easter Sunday.  
 April 25—Apron sale and supper, Concert Hall, benefit Episcopal church.  
 Apr. 27—Fast Day.

**New Advertisements.**  
 Want advertisements—Pages 3 and 4.  
 Call for settlement—Horse and carriage Page 7.  
 Farm for sale—E. F. Barrows, " 8.  
 Spring Opening—L. M. Lunt, " 8.  
 Do it now—Wm. C. Leavitt, " 8.  
 Flower and garden seeds—H. J. Bangs, " 8.  
 Rats—H. B. Foster, " 8.  
 Base ball goods—Noyes Drug Store, " 8.  
 To Waterford delinquent tax payers, " 8.  
 Go-carts—C. B. Cummings & Sons, " 8.  
 Garden tools—Hobbs' Variety Store, " 8.  
 Harness—James N. Fayer, " 8.  
 Easter Millinery Opening—Mrs. Powers, " 8.  
 Look at price—Partridge Bros., " 8.  
 Seed—Norway Corn Factory, " 8.  
 Parlor Millinery—Mrs. F. E. Drake, " 8.  
 S2 shoes—Smiley Shoe Store, " 8.  
 Stoddard gasoline engines—P. H. Beck, " 8.  
 Lace curtains—Thomas Smiley, " 8.  
 Joe—C. E. Bennett, " 8.  
 Old camera—Miss Libby, " 8.  
 Bicycles—G. A. Kenerson, " 8.  
 Meat Market—H. L. Russell, " 8.  
 Joe—Russell & Curtis, " 8.  
 Polypwood—E. H. Pike, " 8.  
 Teachers, examination—Waterford, " 8.  
 Osborne Disc Harrows, " 8.  
 Jeweler—Fred A. Cole, " 8.  
 MacKerel—O. P. Brooks, " 8.  
 Rain coats—F. H. Noyes Co., " 8.

## The County Tax.

The rate is 1.86-100 mills on the valuation fixed by the state assessors, and the valuation and tax of the several towns are as follows:

Town	Valuation	Tax
Albany	229,208	\$42.46
Andover	272,508	\$50.59
Bethel	872,569	\$162.30
Buckfield	309,142	\$57.51
Brownfield	402,939	\$74.96
Byron	91,385	\$17.36
Canton	300,557	\$56.11
Danvers	304,831	\$56.90
Dixfield	37,228	\$6.95
Fryeburg	806,509	\$150.85
Gilead	130,903	\$24.48
Granton	129,302	\$24.38
Greenwood	170,908	\$31.78
Hanover	31,446	\$5.95
Hartford	262,541	\$48.93
Hebron	223,185	\$41.52
Hiram	351,538	\$65.57
Lovell	399,193	\$74.44
Mason	43,925	\$8.10
Mexico	471,172	\$87.84
Newry	120,117	\$22.13
Norway	1,263,326	\$235.21
Paris	1,372,486	\$255.24
Paris	284,120	\$52.91
Porter	239,738	\$44.92
Roxbury	105,048	\$19.59
Rumford	8,057,609	\$1,500.57
Stonewall	256,491	\$47.93
Sumner	115,637	\$21.64
Sweden	197,462	\$36.57
Waterford	363,436	\$67.37
Woodstock	239,174	\$44.22
Milton Plantation	11,457	\$2.14
Public lands, timber, grass	68,260	\$12.52
	\$16,177,459	\$3,011.11

## BUCKFIELD.

C. M. Irish is in Boston on business.  
 F. R. Dyer, esq., went up the line Saturday.  
 Banj. Spaulding spent Sunday at Rumford Falls.  
 Buckfield Literary club met with Mrs. Jennie Irish, Tuesday.  
 Mell Thomas and wife have recently returned to their seat.  
 Guy Gardner and lady of Mechanic Falls have recently been in town.  
 Luther Irish and wife of West Paris have recently visited their parents in town.  
 Amy Shaw, who teaches in Everett, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Shaw.  
 The high school commenced Monday, Mr. Lord, teacher. Other schools commenced on two weeks.  
 Nell Parsons is keeping house for her father, Merritt Parsons, while Mrs. Parsons is visiting in New Hampshire.  
 Shirley Hall, a teacher in the schools of Hingham, Mass., is spending a short vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hall.  
 April 1 was the day for picking up packages and parcels on the sidewalks, some of which strongly adhered to the plank.  
 Sheriff McIntire and deputy went up the line last week. They are said to have got a smell of the ardent but no connecting link.  
 Mae Chaffin, teacher of the intermediate school, has returned from Norway, and Miss Bridgman of the primary department has returned from Lewiston.  
 Lida Spaulding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Spaulding, is at home from her studies at McLean Hospital. She returns to the Massachusetts General Hospital in a few days.  
**Fryeburg Center.**  
 A few wells are quite dry here, yet.  
 F. C. Haley is at work for E. C. Buzzell.  
 E. C. Buzzell is in Sweden surveying timber on the Kezar river.  
 Ashley Eastman is recovering from a severe attack of typhoid pneumonia.  
 Josephine Adams of Wellesley college called on friends in the place, Saturday.  
 W. S. Day swapped his span of horses with James Hobbs for one, instead of E. D. Abbott, as reported.  
 Mrs. Anna Noyes and grandson are staying at Woodlawn during George Noyes' absence in Norway.  
 Charles Abbott has been at work the past two weeks, sawing and splitting Mrs. Moses Chandler's wood.  
 Frank Walker of North Fryeburg was through the neighborhood last week, sawing wood with his gasoline engine.  
 Mrs. E. D. Abbott received a present of a very nice cabinet organ, a few days since, from her nephew, O. W. Lord, of Everett, Mass.

## MILTON PLANTATION.

Addison Bryant was at his brother Fred's, Sunday.  
 Sam Merrill is doing carpenter work for E. A. Farnum.  
 Lizzie Hopkins is working for Mrs. Leo Hemmingway.  
 Lulu Hopkins has finished work for A. T. Sloan of Zircon.  
 Leo Hemmingway has moved into the so-called Brad Stevens house.  
 Bert Davis has thrown his pulp in the Concord brook and begun driving it out.  
 Charles Stevens, Walter Hopkins, Ed Richardson and Bert Sawyer have gone to Black Brook river driving.  
 Cleve Hemmingway, Vert Bean, Joe Spofford and Jack Winells are working in the mill for E. A. Farnum.

## BRYANT'S POND.

Pythian Sisterhood.

Each subordinate assembly of Pythian Sisterhood was requested by the Grand Lodge to send a delegate to the next session, which took place in Pythian Temple, Lewiston, March 24, to consider the important question of consolidation with the Rathbone Sisters. Each delegate was to voice the minds of his Assembly. Of the 72 Assemblies in Maine 27 were against consolidation, 28 for it, 2 undecided, and 15 not heard from.  
 The question, which has been widely discussed from many viewpoints, is now ready for the Supreme Lodge, which holds its next session in New Orleans, some time in the future. Evergreen Assembly, at this place, sent Mrs. Josiah Moody, of North Paris, who, practically speaking, was its founder.  
 Saturday evening, April 1st, was gentlemen's night in Evergreen Assembly. Mrs. Amanda Sherman was presiding officer in the chair.  
 The Brothers of local lodge K. of P. were invited in. Cake and coffee were served, after which a pleasant time was spent in games and dancing. At the close, Mr. Hesth, C. C. of Fraternal lodge, thanked the ladies in a few, well-chosen words, which bespoke gentleness and affection.  
 The Assembly contemplates giving a ball and supper in Dudley opera house in the near future, and have chosen a head committee, one fully competent to take charge, Alyce Day.

## Vern Jackson is improving the rush of water by running his shingle mill at Pinhook, day and night.

Mrs. Clarence Jackson expects to go to Portland, April 3, for a few weeks' stay. Mrs. James Davis will keep house for her while gone.

In the spring of 1903 E. Thompson commenced selling milk to E. N. Greely & Son, Portland, for a year, and was the sole shipper from this station; now, so many farmers have gone into the business that the supply exceeds the demand.

## SOUTH WATERFORD.

Ray Sanderson is working for E. Emerson.  
 Bertha Bell recently visited Marion Pike.  
 Frank Bell has recovered from his illness.  
 Charles Jackson has finished work for B. H. Pike.  
 Ernest Pike is having his summer kitchen sheathed.  
 Mrs. Geo. Skillings has a nine pound son, Stuart Kendall.  
 The Bridgton Dramatic Co. presented a drama here Friday night.  
 "Pink-eye" is prevalent. Many of the scholars are troubled with it.  
 Carrie Wentworth of North Bridgton visited her aunt, Mrs. Edith Pike.  
 Bertha Bell is taking music lessons under the instruction of Jennie Hamilton.  
 Mattie Smith reports having seen the first dandelion blossom of the season.

## Blanche Farwell passed Thursday and Friday with her aunt, Mrs. Frank Bell.

Edward Jackson has finished work in the axe handle shop for E. P. Kimball.  
 Mrs. Vincent Decker and Mrs. B. H. Pike visited at Ernest Pike's last Friday.  
 Miss Farwell passed Sunday and Monday with her cousin, Mrs. Maud Decker.  
 Wm. Watson has put in a new stripper and is rushing business, employing three men.  
 Mrs. Addie Farwell and daughter Blanche are visiting at Mrs. J. S. Cheever's.  
 V. S. Decker is sick with grippe. Ernest Pike is fast recovering from his illness.  
 Mrs. Flora R. Stearns visited her daughter, Mrs. Ethel Skillings (see Kendall) last week.  
 John Wentworth has finished work for Ernest Pike and has returned home to North Bridgton.  
 W. W. Wilson has gone to Massachusetts to work. His wife and child will stay with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Maxwell in Sweden.  
 Rev. Mr. Howard, Mrs. Howard and their two children, Ellen and Hollis, visited Mrs. E. P. Kimball last Tuesday afternoon and evening.  
 Mrs. Georgia Tucker of Norway, while staying with Mrs. George Skillings as nurse, was taken ill with bronchitis recently and was obliged to return home. We understand that her brothers, Frank Noble and Eugene Nelson, visited her on Sunday last.

## NORTH PARIS.

Little Ada Churchill is sick.  
 Benson Lowe, wife and little son, are visiting his parents.  
 Randall Doble, from Massachusetts, visited at B. K. Dow's, April 2.  
 W. G. Hammond and son have been packing apples for R. L. Cummings.  
 Lincoln Holmes, Mrs. Parker, and Lottie and Mildred have been entertaining a gripper.  
 America Andrews and wife went to Portland, April 1st, to visit their son, W. W. Andrews.  
 M. S. Bubier and wife are visiting relatives and friends here. They go to Massachusetts, to work, the 15th.  
 E. B. Hall has been appointed local agent and collector for the Oxford county, P. of H. Fire Insurance Co.  
 Willis Walker and wife, who have been visiting Mrs. Walker's parents, have gone to Lewiston to work in the shoe shop.  
 State Master O. Gardner, will visit West Paris Grange, Apr. 22. The defeated side in the late contest will furnish the dinner that day.  
 Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all her old customers.  
 The first and second degrees were conferred on six candidates at the Grange, Apr. 1st, and the third and fourth degrees on one candidate, making 23 taken in during the contest.

## BUMFORD POINT.

The ice left the river here, April 1st. Carroll Hutchinson, of Canton, was in town, Friday.  
 L. A. Grover has bought the Lovejoy stand at East Andover.  
 Mrs. Wm. Reed is house cleaning, and painting and papering her house.  
 F. A. Hall of South Waterford, and Walter Jordan of Windham, are in town.  
 W. A. Bray, of Bethel, was in town Thursday; also Dr. Leslie, Charles Morton and Charles Learned of Andover.

## WEST BETHEL.

Conducts Excursions.

Otis N. Mason, conductor on excursion routes from Boston to different parts of the United States, sent to his mother a map showing the different routes taken with the different places in the states marked in all over eighty, showing the routes passed through the middle and western states to Los Angeles, Cal., also Denver, Col., and the state of Florida. Mr. Mason is the son of N. W. and Mary L. Mason and a former resident of this vicinity. His father died a few years ago. His mother is living with her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Mills. Otis was always a steady and good boy and now is a very trustworthy young man and has the reputation of being a conductor, who gives good satisfaction to those who ride on his train.

## Tom Vashaw is away driving river.

Fred Wheeler is at work for A. J. Haskell.

## Horace Walker has a new wagon.

He now has a fine team.

## Rev. F. C. Potter of Bethel was in this village one day last week.

The house recently purchased by Sarah W. Brown is vacant.

## Harry Seely went to Gorham last Sunday and returned the same day.

Mrs. W. W. Goodridge and adopted daughter, Mrs. George Noyes, are here to visit her parents and sisters.

## Grace Farwell has returned to Jefferson, N. H., for another term as assistant in school taught by Flora J. Wheeler.

Mrs. L. E. Bean has recently put in a new pump in the well to supply water for those who occupy the rents near by.

## Herbert Lord, who has been at Waterford, has not yet returned to his old place in the mill for N. R. Springer.

Charles Rollins, who has been working at Wildwood, N. H., during the winter, has returned and is stopping in this village.

## John Gaul and wife (see Christie Walker), who have spent the winter at F. B. Island, have returned and are stopping at Fred Ordway's.

## LYNNVILLE.

Talk of a Railroad.

A railroad through this vicinity is the talk now.

## Wallace Diamond is able to be out again.

Nellie Cobb called on her friend, Leona McKee, last Sunday.

## Junie Lord and Charlie Ross called on friends and relatives at East Waterford recently.

Fannie Buck and Florence Scully from Locke's Mills were at Mrs. Plummer's last week.

## Charles Ross passed through this place Wednesday on his way to Fryeburg, where he will stop for a few days.

John Lord came near drowning while working on the river Saturday. He slipped and went down between the logs. Two men who were near by helped him out.

## BROWNFIELD.

Saw Mill Caught Fire.

Carl Blake's saw mill caught fire on the roof Friday, but was quickly extinguished, and no damage was done.

## Seymour Sands of Boston is in town for a vacation.

Mrs. A. R. Eaton, of Conway Corner, N. H., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Boynton.

## Arthur Walker has recently purchased the farm owned by Levi Seavey, and will occupy it the last of the month.

Mrs. Frances Harmon and little daughter Mildred, started Wednesday for an extended visit to relatives in New Hampshire.

## Fred Fitch, of Sebago, who has been ill at the home of his brother, H. F. Fitch, M. D., is better, and with his wife, returned home, Sunday morning.

John Graffam and wife have gone to Baldwin to take charge of the town farm, this year. Leslie Poore and family will move into his house next week.

## WEBB'S MILLS.

Planting the Gardens.

The snow has about all gone and the farmers are thinking about planting their gardens.

## Mrs. E. A. Barton has not been as well the past week.

Cyrus and Mae Barton visited friends in Raymond on the 2d.

## Fred Libby from Monmouth is stopping in this place for a few days.

Maud Burgess has been home from Auburn, sick with the mumps the past week.

## Mrs. S. O. Owen, who has been stopping at her father's, Hall Edwards', will go back to Windham the coming week.

News has reached this place of the death of Philip Bartlett of South Windham but formerly of Raymond. He was found up in a powder mill in New York, where he was working.

## NORTHWEST NORWAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Walker have gone to Massachusetts.

Harold Johnson from Oxford is at work for Oliver Merrill.

Maurice Brown is at home from Bates college spending his vacation.

Lucia Buck is at home this week. She was over to Harlan Flint's awhile.

Mrs. Knights has returned from Otisfield where she has been visiting her daughter.

Dr. Walker was up to his farm last Monday and Mrs. Guy Walker went back with him. Guy went Tuesday to saw stove wood. He has engaged to saw 30 cords.

Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all her old customers.

## WENTWORTH'S LOCATION, N. H.

Lewis Leavitt is so as to be out doors again.

Elithu Leavitt is in quite poor health this spring.

Mr. Roby came out with his horses from Four Mile brook, Sunday.

There was a crew of men passed through here, Thursday, en route for Tom Tracy's drive at Four Mile brook.

Little Robbie Rint, who has been very sick all winter, died Tuesday, and was buried Thursday. He had a nurse from Colebrook, N. H.

Brown, the telephone man, is in town. He is going to put in a telephone at the diamond brook, and one at Ellingwood Falls, also one at Dixie Dam, for the drive.

## WEST PARIS.

To Build a Church.

The Universalist parish meeting held Tuesday evening of last week was largely attended and 12 new members added, showing much interest. Rev. F. E. Barton was present and acted as moderator. The following officers were elected for the coming year:

Moderator—S. W. Dunham.  
 Clerk—John L. Marshall.  
 Treas.—Mrs. H. R. Tuell.  
 Trustees—Lewis C. Bates, Lewis M. Mann, Fred E. Wheeler.

It is now the purpose and intention of the society to build a church the coming year. The trustees were appointed as building committee and will begin arrangements in the near future. Della H. and Minnie Lane and Jennie Brown were elected delegates to the Universalist state convention which will be held at South Paris in June.

## Emma Swan was home from Auburn over Sunday.

Mrs. James Lapham returned from the hospital last week Wednesday.

Robert Shaw has finished clerking for F. D. Small and Mr. Small is again roughing it alone.

James and Henry Lapham are both ill at their father's, Nelson Lapham's. James has pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dunham are away on a few week's visit to relatives in Massachusetts and Vermont.

Charles Bacon opened his vegetable store this week Monday in care of Mrs. Bacon's son, Edward F. Clark.

Mrs. Clara Ridlon, who has home for a few days last week but has now returned to her daughter's, Mrs. Jackson's at Yarmouth.

Nathan Brock and family have moved in with Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Ellingwood. Mrs. Brock will assist Mrs. Ellingwood with her work.

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Mrs. Caleb Fuller is slowly improving and is now able to be up. The nurse, Mrs. Will Rolfe, stayed until Tuesday morning with Mrs. Emma Mann and visited the Rebekah lodge Tuesday evening.

Mabel Ricker went to Plymouth Wednesday morning, Apr. 6, to be present at her brother Arthur's wedding which took place in the evening in their new home which they had furnished for the occasion. The bride, Clara E. Crane, is from Meadville, Me. Mr. Ricker is station agent for the G. T. R. Co. at Falmouth.

## UPTON.

Interested in His Patients.

Dr. Twitchell was obliged to leave his team, and take snow shoes for two and one half miles, to visit a patient in Upton. He left his team at Bragg's camp, and walked up through the woods to Enman's, on East hill. Not many doctors in poor health would have attempted it.

J. Brook has started his drive on the Cambridge river.

West Lane and wife are stopping with his grandmother at present.

John Allen, of Newry, was in town selling apples, one day last week.

Will Whitney has recently purchased a valuable cow of James Richardson.

Mrs. B. Morse recently visited her daughter, Mrs. York of Magalloway.

Ralph Thurston, of Errol, was carried through town on a bed, on his way to the hospital.

The supper and sale by Upton grange, Mar. 28, was well attended. Over \$12 was cleared.

The remains of Mrs. Mary Dow, of West Bethel, were brought to this place for burial, Mar. 31.

Fred Ellingwood, who has been employed at Newry, making rustic furniture, has finished his job, and is home.

Bedford Corey and family visited in town a few days, on their way to Andover, where Mrs. Corey will visit her parents.

H. T. Chase, who has been sick and confined to his bed a part of the time, still remains about the same. He is able to sit up a few hours each day.

## FRYEBURG.

The Academy opens again this week.

Very little maple syrup brought into the market, as yet.

The snow left us quite suddenly, but in a very quiet manner.

H. H. Burbank has sold his stock of goods to J. C. Harriman, who took possession Monday, and will continue the business at the old stand on Portland street.

The following named are at home from their various schools and colleges for their spring vacations: Clarence Stone, Osgood, Pike, Adams, Carrie Johnson and Rachel Weston.

## EAST OTISFIELD.

Fred Stone is at work for Charles Martin.

Arthur Bean of Auburn has been in this place a few days.

Richard Lynch and Francis Peaco went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Ellsworth Davis and Moses Spiller went to Norway last Saturday.

Ned Haskell of Harrison has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Nellie Morse.

Henry Leese of Oxford spent part of last week with her sister, Mrs. Harry Stone.

Annie Marston of Portland was in this place, Mar. 26, to attend the funeral of her uncle, Joseph P. Wright.

Mrs. George Dyer, who has been spending a week in Oakland, with her sister, returned home Mar. 27th.

Arthur Bean of Otisfield Gore has been visiting her friends, Mrs. Fred Stone, Mrs. Ellis R. Stone and Mrs. Chas. Scribner.

Mrs. C. C. Foster, who has been quite sick, is reported to be gaining. She has been cared for by her daughter, Mrs. George Turner.

Mrs. Henry Meserve of Northwest Norway called on Mrs. Peter Wood Wednesday on her way to visit her daughter, Mrs. Perley Morey at Spurr's Corner.

## OTISFIELD GORE.

Mrs. Marion Brett, who has been on the sick list, is slowly gaining.

Roscoe Whitman sawed wood with his new gasoline engine for A. K. Hill and C. B. Grover, one day last week.

Mrs. Luther Emerson has been on a visit to friends and relatives in Lynn, Mass., and returned home a short time ago.

F. J. Sawyer went to Portland on business a short time ago, and spent the night with his son, F. D. Sawyer, of Gray.

# ICE! ICE! ICE!

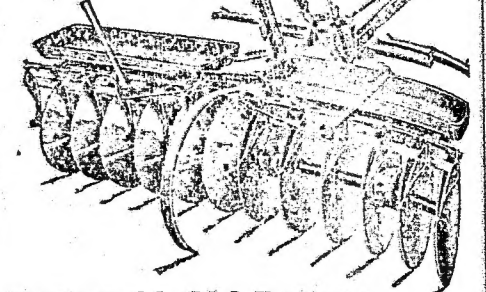
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## HARRISON.

A Farmers' Institute.

A very successful Farmers' Institute was held at Town Hall, Harrison, on the 30th ult., under the charge of Commissioner A. W. Gilman. Upwards of one hundred were present at the opening of the forenoon meeting, though the very bad traveling caused many to suppose that but very few would be present. People kept coming until the opening of the afternoon meeting, at which over 150 were present.

Capt. Philbrick was the first speaker in the forenoon, and occupied about twenty minutes in giving the history and habits of the Brown-Tail Moth, a subject that is of special interest to every farmer in Maine at the present time. The speaker told the people of Harrison that they were fortunate for the time, as a thorough search of the territory in the vicinity had failed to discover a single nest. The lecture showed that the speaker was thoroughly posted on his subject, and the audience gave closest attention.

Prof. J. W. Sanborn, of New Hampshire, was the next speaker, and for over an hour spoke on "The New Agriculture." The Professor handled his subject ably, and brought out many good points, but proved to be rather a dull speaker. Many questions were asked at the close, bringing out quite a little discussion.

At noon, Lakeside Grange furnished dinner in the Free Baptist vestry, which was partaken of by nearly one hundred. It is needless to say that there was a great plenty of food, and that many fragments were gathered up at the close.

C. D. Richardson, Overseer of Massachusetts State Grange, was the first speaker of the afternoon. His subject was "Dairying," and he handled it in a manner which held the close attention of his audience for about three-fourths of an hour.

H. O. Hadley, Master of New Hampshire State Grange, and a member of the New Hampshire Cattle Commission, next spoke on "Diseases of Cattle," giving particular attention to tuberculosis. At the close of his address a few remarks by Prof. Sanborn started quite a discussion, in which Mr. Gilman took a prominent part, and to the delight of the audience, as he is a very good speaker, and the peculiar, and telling way in which he brought out some of his points, caused much merriment.

Mr. Rogers, of Brunswick, made the closing address, it being on the subject of "Potato Culture." The meeting closed about 4 p. m., and all seemed well pleased. Quite a number had traveled several miles over very muddy roads, to be present.

Arthur Johnson, who has been sick with what was at one time supposed to be appendicitis, is now very much better, and is hoping to be able to go to work again in a short time.

Wm. H. Burnham, who has been living at the Geo. Ayer farm, in Harrison, during the winter, has hired the farm of his father, Robert A. Burnham, in Naples, and has gone back to his old home.

The schools at the village are to begin on the 17th inst., (unless notice is given to the contrary), and all other schools in town will commence on April 24th. A full list of the teachers will be given later.

The snow has nearly all left us, and it does so very quickly. The roads appear to have but very little frost in them, and it is confidently predicted by many that we shall have "settled going" in a short time.

Q. M. Chute is in South Harrison sawing wood at the present time, the motive power being a gasoline engine. He makes short work of a big pile of wood, sometimes sawing fifteen, or more, cords in a day.

The display of northern lights for three nights in succession is something rather uncommon. For two nights the display was very brilliant at times, but that of Sunday evening was not so bright. Perhaps the weatherwise can tell us what condition, if any, these auroral displays have with the very high winds that have prevailed during the last three days.

Lakeside Grange will probably break ground for their new hall during the coming week. Quite an amount of the timber has been hauled to the mill at the ready, having been contributed by the members. The hall is to be built nearly opposite to the Odd Fellows' building, on land bought of Jordan Brothers, and G. N. Spaulding. It is to be a two-story structure, 36 x 72 feet in size.

The next meeting of Lakeside Grange is to be held next Saturday afternoon, and there will be work in the first and second degrees; also a literary program consisting of a discussion of an important educational question, recitations, readings and music. This Grange is constantly growing, and now has 110 members. The meetings are well attended, and there are always interesting programs whenever the degree work does not occupy all of the time.

Ira A. Kneeland's house, at the village, was discovered to be on fire just as the noon train came in on Friday, 31st ult. The whistle of the engine sounded the alarm so vigorously that a large number were soon on the scene, and the fire was extinguished before it did much damage. The origin of the fire is something of a mystery, as it seemed to come from a box of rubbish in the chamber, which was not supposed to contain anything of a combustible nature. Flames were breaking through the roof when first seen. The damage was small, and is fully covered by insurance.

Our popular town clerk, Howard L. Sampson, has been the victim of a most cruel joke. Many of our people were very much astonished to find in a neighboring paper an announcement of his death, and many were the anxious inquiries that were made over the telephone and otherwise. There was a general feeling of relief when they were informed that Mr. Sampson was still very much alive. It appears that Mr. Sampson sent a notice of the death of a townsman, and some blundering compositor thought that the signature was the name of another deceased person.

Irving Emmons of West Paris is working for S. C. Davis.

Summer Davis has purchased a new handy wagon of G. L. Hancock. This seems like a good time to say a word for the Holden roadbreaker. There is only one of them in this town, in charge of H. E. Jilson, but that one has been on several of the roller roads in town, and has done what most rollers have cost \$50 to have shoveled, done it better and at about one-half that sum.

Mrs. Anna Dudley returned Wednesday from a visit of several weeks in Massachusetts. Mildred Dudley returned to Poland Springs this week.

Guy Lord of Bridgton spent Saturday and Sunday with Frank Moore.

The trees of the village were examined by the commissioners, but no signs of the brown-tail moth were found.

John Wentworth, of Boston University, May Whitney, of Gray's Business College, and Blanche Cole, teacher in Boston, are home for the Easter recess.

Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all her old customers.

There is considerable moving going on, as is usual in the spring. Walter Twitchell has moved from his farm to the village, and occupies a rent in the "Old Tavern stand." Joseph Pitts, who has occupied W. H. Bailey's house during the winter is about returning to his farm in South Harrison, and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, who have spent the winter with their daughter, Mr. Dr. Blake, will return to their home. Herman Kneeland will occupy the house of Rev. L. W. Raymond, formerly used as a parsonage by the P. B. Society, and Fred Garland is moving into the house of Mrs. Maria Ricker.

## BETHEL.

Simon F. Frost.  
Died at the Home for Aged People in South Framingham, Mass., March 31, Simon F. Frost, aged 80 years. Mr. Frost was born in Rumford. He built the Umbagog House situated on the lake of the same name in Upton, Oxford County, about fifty years ago, where he maintained a public house for city boarders about thirty years. He also built and ran the steamboat, "The Union," that ever plied the waters of the Umbagog, running to Errol and the Magalloway. The propeller was one large paddle wheel at the stern of the boat. For that place in those days the steamer was an object much admired by the community. Mrs. Frost died about a year ago. Three sons survive, one in Boston and two in Framingham, Mass.

Potatoes are plentiful and cheap. T. J. Foster is confined to his bed. The doctors are very busy at this time. D. S. Hastings is confined to the house with grip.

The selectmen are on their work taking inventory. The ice still spans the Androscoggin in many places in town.

Capt. Ed. Coburn of Middle Dam House was in town Monday.

Rufus Rice and wife of Norway were at Levi Bartlett's over Sunday.

No one claims to have seen a drop of maple honey for sale in town this season. Robert Chapman of Norway is helping with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hastings.

Harold Stanley is clerking for C. C. Bryant & Son, while Mr. Bryant is laid up with rheumatism.

Wanted a woman to do general housework and cooking for a family of two. Apply to D. G. Lovejoy, Bethel, Me.

H. B. Clough, lately an employee in Portsmouth navy yard, has been changed to an electric plant in Lynn, addressing 39 Baker street.

The adopted child of Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Durkee, aged about ten years, passed away last Sunday noon after a lingering sickness of several weeks.

J. W. Whipple & Co., proprietors of the Parker House, Young's Hotel and the Touraine, have purchased Prospect Inn, and will soon open it for the season.

Grover Hill.  
Levi R. Browne has employment in I. S. Morrill's birch mill.

Ida M. Haselton will teach at North Albany the coming term.

March 29th, H. M. Merrill, the mail carrier, made his first visit on wheels.

Mrs. Freeland Bennett and daughter Marion have been ill with colds the past week.

We understand that A. L. Whitman has purchased the farm of Edwin Smith, formerly owned by L. W. Bartlett.

L. A. Faine commenced making maple syrup April 3d, a good illustration of the increasing lateness of the Maine sugar season.

Middle Intervale.  
Ned Carter has returned from his logging job in New Hampshire.

Daniel M. Kimball has returned from his visit to his brother John Kimball, and family, in Dover, N. H.

John Coburn has been hauling apples for E. L. Stearns, which he bought of Charles Abbott, to be shipped to Canada.

Charles E. Goodwin died in West Brentwood, N. H., Jan. 18th, 1904, aged 52 years. (He was born in Amesbury, Mass., and there married his first wife, Elizabeth Bowman, and she is now living in business many years. He had one child by his first wife, and she is now living at Rockingham Junction, N. H. He was at one time a fine hatter and paymaster in Amesbury, Mass. He was also a fine carriage painter, and was faithful and trustworthy in all his business vocations. His last wife was Annie Marie Packard, of South Paris, daughter of Louise and Stephen Packard. Mr. Goodwin, with his last wife, came to Bethel in 1899, and he gained so much strength while there and liked the place and air so well, that he very reluctantly returned to his New Hampshire home.

## WATERFORD.

Who says the electric road is played out?  
Sarah W. Knight is in Boston for a few weeks.

Chas. Wilson is home from Bowdoin for a few days.

John Kimball is quite sick; rheumatic fever is feared.

E. M. Dudley is making quite extensive repairs on the Lake House.

Mary Rounds is home for a week, from her school in Milton, Mass.

Tom Maybury, of Bridgton, is at work for Mrs. Atherton for the summer.

Percy Kimball, who has been attending school at Bridgton, is at home.

Mrs. L. Wilson has got back from her winter visit to Boston and vicinity.

J. A. Johnson and wife are spending a few weeks with their son, Winifred, in Ipswich, Mass.

Regular meeting of Keoka Chapter, O. E. S., April 11th. Stated convocation of M. F. F. Lodge, A. S. & M., April 18th.

## NORTHWEST BETHEL.

8th Birthday.  
Irene Kilgore gave a very pleasing party to her little girl friends on the afternoon of Mar. 28th, it being her 8th birthday. A fine treat was served, and they all had a most happy time.

Clarence Barker was in this neighborhood April 3d, on town business.

Ed Mason has been sick for a number of days with the prevailing distemper.

Mrs. Susan Chapman has been spending some time with Mrs. O. W. Ellingwood.

Len Sumner and Henry Perkins are cutting pine for Wm. Chapman on the other side of the river.

Warren S. Dority, who has boarded at Seth Mason's for three months past, is now at Gorham to work.

R. L. Bennett's family have had a severe time with the grip, nearly all of them being ill at one time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Tyler and little Myrtle have gone to Mason. They boarded the past winter with L. A. Sumner.

Herbert O. Chapman has moved his family from Newry to Wm. Chapman's upper farm, where he will be employed for the season.

Mrs. Kennerson and daughter Blanche, who have been with Mrs. W. C. Chapman for so long, have closed their engagement there and gone away.

Mrs. E. S. Skillings and daughter Ella, was up from Portland the 2d, and Mrs. Henry Perkins returned to the city with them for a few weeks' visit.

## MARRIAGE INTENTIONS.

Filed With the several Town Clerks.  
John Matt and Mary McKee, both of Paris.

## MARRIAGES.

In Norway, Mar. 29, by Rev. B. S. Rideout, Franklin S. Packard and Emma L. Noble, both of Norway.

In Norway, Mar. 29, by Rev. E. S. Cotton, Thomas Burns and Grace B. Hill, both of Norway.

In Rumford Falls, Mar. 22, by Rev. G. A. Mar, Harry Craig and Ruth M. Falls and Edith Dewhurst of Fall River, Mass.

In West Paris, April 1, by O. K. Yates, Esq., Anna Fulkerson and Annie Fulkerson both of Paris.

In South Paris, April 1, by Rev. Edwin W. Pierce George Clark of Paris and Clara Y. Gardner of West Sumner.

In Dixfield, Me., by Rev. T. H. Scammon, Frank M. Davis and Sadie Rand, both of Dixfield.

In South Poland, Mar. 22, by Rev. Frederick Newport, Ira C. Hubbard of New Gloucester and Edith E. Ward of Poland.

In East Poland, Mar. 29, by Rev. Frederick Newport, Clarence S. Pulsifer and Mattie L. Davis, both of Poland.

## BIRTHS.

In Harbor, Mar. 21, to the wife of Frank Hall, a daughter.

In Rumford Falls, Mar. 28, to the wife of Dr. F. E. Wheat, a daughter.

In Milton, Mass., Mar. 28, to the wife of Leo Hemmingsway, a daughter.

In Paris, Mar. 28, to the wife of George H. Bean, a daughter.

In East Waterford, Mar. 28, to the wife of Charles W. Scammon, a son.

In Brownfield, Mar., to the wife of Byron Braden, a daughter.

In Upton, Mar. 28, to the wife of Will Brown, a son.

In Norway, April 3, to the wife of Charles W. Andrews, a son.

In Norway, April 3, to the wife of Joe Chase, a daughter.

In Paris, Mar. 29, to the wife of H. J. Rawson, a daughter.

In Paris, Mar. 26, to the wife of Arthur Dean, a daughter, Ruby Deane.

## DEATHS.

In Upton, Mar. 16, Matilda, wife of B. F. Whitney, aged 53 years.

In Dixfield, Mar. 31, Goldie Warren, aged about 12 years.

In South Harrison, April 2, Freeman M. Pogg, aged 10 years, 8 days.

In East Otisfield, Mar. 24, Joseph P. Wright, aged 70 years, 8 days.

In East Hiram, Mar. 19, Mrs. Betsey Lombard, aged 71 years.

In West's Mills, Mar. 13, Mathew F. Winslow, aged 84 years.

In Paris, Mar. 25, Mrs. Remember Snell, aged 82 years.

In Oxford, Mar. 5, Edward F. Richmond, aged 62 years.

## EAST FRYEBURG.

Cerebro Spinal Meningitis.  
Goldie Warren died Friday, Mar. 31st, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Ed Smith, of cerebro spinal meningitis.

Bessie Walker is expected home very soon.

A. A. McIntire has made a few gallons of maple syrup.

Peter Wiley was at A. A. McIntire's one day last week.

T. S. McIntire visited friends at Toll Bridge and Fish Street, last week.

Herbert Pendexter is on Smart's Hill, working for Moses Smart, on logs.

Mrs. Belle Emery was in the place last week calling on her old neighbors.

Alma Douglas has gone home, after a two weeks' visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos A. McIntire.

H. V. Berry went to Portland last Saturday to spend Sunday with his daughter and accompany his wife home Monday, from her week's visit in Portland.

Walter Wiley and John Buzzell crossed the river and meadow in their canoe and called at A. A. McIntire's. John said his father had gained in strength quite a little—goes out some, and was going to Sebago Lake in a day or two to try a change of air.

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Ball players call and see us! We will be at home at

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NORWAY

## ANNUAL

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ONE LOT curtains, white, three yards long, 48 inches wide, flowered pattern only.....\$7.1-2c  
ONE LOT white curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, 48 inches wide, 18 inch figured border, plain center.....\$1.00  
ONE LOT white curtains, 3 yards long, 54 inches wide, wide border, flower and scroll patterns, flowered center.....\$1.25  
ONE LOT white curtains, 3 3/8 yards long, 54 inches wide, flowered border, with set figure, dotted mesh, with stars at intervals in center, very neat.....\$1.50  
ONE LOT white curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, 60 inches wide, pretty border of scroll and flowers, extra value.....\$1.75  
ONE LOT white curtains, 3 1/2 yards long, 54 inches wide, neat border of flowers and leaves, fine mesh, plain center.....\$2.00  
ONE LOT fine quality, 3 1/2 yards long, 54 inches wide, small flowered border, small figure in center, neat curtain.....\$3.00  
ONE LOT very fine mesh, white, 3 1/2 yards long, 54 inches wide, neat border, small figure in center, very dainty curtain.....\$3.50







### MRS. HALL'S MIRACLE.

Experiences Similar to This Have Occurred Considerable Comment in Norway.

Few women are better known in Lockport, N. Y., than Mrs. Fannie D. Hall, who also belongs to one of the best families and has a large circle of friends and acquaintances. In a recent interview Mrs. Hall said:

"The experience I have been through in the last two years seems like a miracle. I was so badly off that I seemed almost unendurable, and my weakness increased so that I could scarcely hear anything. The suffocation in my chest and the indigestion caused by my catarrh, produced very severe suffering. I had five different physicians, but nothing that anybody recommended to me, but finally gave up in despair."

"One day my milliner asked me if I had ever tried Hyomei. I began the treatment, and can thankfully testify that Hyomei does cure this terrible disease." Since using it my hearing is greatly improved, and the only time I have any catarrhal trouble is when I take cold. I then use Hyomei, and always get instant relief. My friends and acquaintances marvel at the change in my health and hearing."

Hyomei has made many cures of catarrh, and in connection with Hyomei balm, of catarrhal deafness, in Norway. Similar experiences to that of Mrs. Hall's have created a large sale for Hyomei with Noyes Drug Store.

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NORWAY NATIONAL BANK H. D. SMITH, Cashier.

### HIRAN.

New Obstacle in Love's Way. One man tore his mail box down because his daughter fell in love and received letters from a patron on the route.

Parris G. Rowe died March 28.

Mrs. D. E. Jewett is quite sick with the grip.

Lynman McLucas is hunting after new milch cows.

Lynman McLucas is on the road selling poultry food.

About this time people are hustling to get their wood piles out up.

Charles Hill is still loading poplar at his siding near Daniel Pierue's.

Summer Durgin went to Brownfield, recently, looking after a yoke of oxen.

We are told the Hiram Creamery have put in about eight hundred tons of ice for their use this summer.

Darling Huntress and wife attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Henry Lombard, who was buried, the 29th.

For two days there has been a snow of men from East Hiram and Hiram shoveling snow on Lewis hill so the mail carrier could get through.

Mrs. Joseph Poore's funeral occurred Tuesday, the 28th. Rev. Mr. Clough officiating. The remains were carried to Brownfield, Centerland placed in the tomb.

### WEST MINOT.

Daisy Dunham is visiting in Auburn.

Eva DeCosta is in Lewiston for a short time.

Louise Attwood is visiting friends in Auburn.

C. E. Allen is getting ready to build a new house.

Eliza Attwood spent the 23d at Mechanic Falls.

Mary Kilbreth of Winthrop is at her father's, L. Koenig's.

Anna Crocker has returned to her home in South Paris.

Linnie DeCosta returned to her home in Lewiston, Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Packard has gone to Canaan, Conn., for a few weeks.

Eva and Maud Morrison of Groveton, N. H., are the guests of Mrs. Rose Pike.

Helen Deering spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Walter Bonney at South Paris.

Mrs. Nathan Dudley of Oxford is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Ed. Cloutier.

Mrs. Mary Millett went to Mechanic Falls, Friday, to visit her sisters, Eliza and Jane Millett.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

47-17. Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists and the grocer if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

### EAST CONWAY.

The death of little Florence Sargent was a great shock to her many friends.

Clifton Roberts is visiting his brother Fred, at J. H. Woodward's, during the maple sugar season.

The quilting, held by the ladies of Union Circle, at B. B. Woodward's, was a success. The gentlemen and invited guests thought the supper provided by the ladies was, too.

The serenade, given Friday night, the 24th, in honor of the marriage of George Heath and Effie Charles was a little out of season, as the report is they have been married several months.

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### FREEDOM NOTICE.

To whom it may concern, I, Cyrus R. Hazleton of Sumner, Maine, have this day given my daughter, Clara R. Hazleton, her time for the remainder of her natural life to set and manage for herself, and I shall pay no bills of her contracting or claim any of her earnings after this date. CYRUS R. HAZLETON

Witness Alphonzo D. Hazleton. Dated at Paris, March 29th, 1905. 13-15

### How a Former Oxford County Man is to Reach the Pole.

The famous Arctic explorer, Robert E. Peary, says that between July 1 and 15, he expects to leave New York on the voyage north, stopping at Sydney for coal.

By Sept 1 he expects to be able to go into winter quarters at Grant Land, after breaking through the first ice barriers at Melville Bay and the second ice barriers at Cape Sabine. At Cape Sabine he will take on board his squad of picked Eskimos, whose assistance in his project he deems invaluable.

Next February, with the first new light, he expects to start with dog sledges on the dash of 400 miles from his winter quarters to the pole. The sledge journey to the pole will be less difficult, he thinks, than the task of forcing a passage through Smith Sound, but, fully impressed with a belief in the power of his new vessel, he thinks it will not be impossible to work his way to Grant Land in her.

His plan is to leave the ship, the Roosevelt, with five or six sledges, each loaded with 500 to 600 pounds of provisions. At the end of say, 100 miles, the weakest sledge and the weakest man will be returned, and so on, until the explorers of the last 100 miles will consist of the commander, his sledge, and four picked men. Meanwhile, the sledges that have been returned to the ship will load up with provisions and start toward the pole, to meet the commander and his party, and he expects to meet them about half way back on his return trip.

Commander Peary thinks he will reach the pole this time, and this belief is based upon his experience in Arctic exploration, his confidence in the power and staunchness of his ship, and his confidence in the Eskimoes, every man, woman and child of whom he knows, and whose services he can command out of gratitude.

### A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

FRANK KIMBALL, Norway. J. H. BROOKS, South Paris.

### More About the Bachelors.

An Answer to O. H. L.

In a recent issue of the ADVERTISER there is a communication signed O. H. L., which seems to deplore the "cruel and abusive treatment" which some of our highly gifted lady correspondents are "handing to" that defenseless and innocuous class known as bachelors. I move that you "cut out" the vituperative articles of your fair bud, ruthless contributors. "We must have peace at any price."

But why O. H. L. considers it "a disgrace" because the belligerent fair ones have failed to "sail into" the married men, (who have troubles of their own), passes my comprehension. What are wives for, anyhow, if they cannot attend to domestic needs, moral vagaries and spiritual vacuity of their lords and masters? I think (and hope) that the marital experience of most husbands tends to prove that wives generally are both able and willing to administer a "dressing down" to their other half when ever the voice of duty calls.

As to the lady correspondents entering the lists against drunken husbands, wife beaters and gamblers, what good would it do?

I am afraid our Manchester friend overestimates the power of the press. Nothing less weighty and solid than a club has any influence or power of appealing to the sensibilities of that class of our citizens who are beyond shame and beneath contempt.

What the churches, temperance societies, laws of the land and public opinion have failed to accomplish is a "leech" too heavy a contract for your humble correspondent to undertake to do.

One word more and I'm done. The remark that women "want the marriage certificate to cover their tracks if they jump over the family fence," I consider a most unjustifiable false and venomous sentiment. I say my dear friend, has been unwise and unfortunate in his dealings with the fair sex. Hope none of his female relatives or ancestors will ever become cognizant of that remark.

A FEMALE.

### The Bachelor Question.

To you New Hampshire O. H. L. Why mind would like to tell you how you may hereafter know there's a lot of them that have more wit than to sell their name for a certificate. Old bachelors are so few and choice, I heartily have different ideas I fear.

There's many of them that would enter a strife, by the way, they could win themselves a wife. They better go into some lottery game, I doubt if then they would get a fair dame. For most all of these old maids and matrons, I'll give you to understand. Do not accept any old thing. That's sure and begs for their hand.

As to married women being better off, in some cases that may be, but take it on an average. They're pretty lucky to be free. When there's so many men stuck at their back and call it. If the old fox was living now, I'll admit that some old bachelors are good, generous, and all right. But many have been through tough and tight, and stick to them through tough and tight. But of course in the married man there's many faults to be found. Most likely we'll have our faults as long as the world turns around.

### A GUARANTEED CURE FOR PILES.

Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Druggists refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case, no matter of how long standing, in 6 to 14 days. First application gives ease and rest. 50c. If your druggist hasn't it send 50c in stamps and it will be forwarded post-paid by Paris Medicine Co. St. Louis, Mo. 47-39

### WEST BUCKFIELD.

Sadie Lowe went to South Paris the 20th.

Mrs. Bonney and Jessie are at Buckfield.

Mr. Brooks is cutting wood for Chas. Lowe.

Many are having the grippe. Harry Buck is quite sick, having pleurisy with the grippe.

The mail carrier was unable to go over all his route for three days, or since Friday, the 24th.

Geryl Harlow is at home from Haddon and Fannie Harlow has returned to Farmington Normal school.

### Croup.

An attack of croup can be ward off by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy promptly at the first indication of the approach of the disease. For sale by Noyes Drug Store, Shurtleff's, South and West Paris. 11-15

### Jacob Colby.

Through the death of Jacob Colby East Brownfield loses an upright, kind-hearted citizen, who will be much missed.

He was born in Denmark, June 6, 1834, and was the youngest of six children. His father, Jacob Colby, Sr., cleared the farm and built the home which was to be the home of four generations.

The name Colby dates back nearly two centuries. It appears first as a town in Denmark, Europe, and is spelled Koebel. Some Danes, coming to England, named a new town Colebi. This town was largely owned by their brothers, and when divided between them in 1109, the brothers were called Robert de Colebi, Warine de Colebi, and Simon de Colebi. In 1630 about 1500 Puritans came from England under the lead of John Winthrop, who was afterwards governor of Massachusetts. Among these was Anthony Colby from whom Jacob Colby, and all others of this name in western Maine, are descended.

Jacob Colby's mother was Jane Walker, of Fryeburg, and his mother was Jane Starling, a sister of the wife of Gen. Stark, of whom he said, "we beat the red-coats to-day, or Molly Stark's a widow."

In early manhood Jacob Colby built a house on a part of his father's farm, and worked at both farming and shoemaking. In 1854 he married Olivia Doten, of Sumner, Me. To them were born four children, Jennie, Clara, Edward and Lucy. All but Clara are living.

Olivia Doten Colby died in 1888. His second wife was Zilpha A. Cotton, mother of two sons, Wesley M., and Howard R., both of whom are living. Soon after his second marriage he began work at the Portland and Ogdensburg R. R., at Baldwin, and had been last here, to Fryeburg. He then became foreman of the Brownfield section, which position he held from 1871 to 1897.

He moved from Denmark to the Albert Howard farm in Brownfield, October, 1872, but in 1883 he built a house near the station at East Brownfield, and lived there till his death.

In November, 1904, he strained his right arm, lifting, and was obliged to give up work. He gradually grew weaker from a complication of diseases, and died March 13, 1905.

The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. Mr. Cameron, who spoke words of eulogy, and tender words of comfort to the bereaved, followed by the impressive burial service of the Odd Fellows. The Rebekah lodge, of which he was a member, attended in a body. The floral offerings were many and beautiful. All through his sickness the members of his lodge, the neighbors and friends have been untiring in their kind offices, and his family deeply appreciate their kindness.

He was a quiet, reserved man, one not given to talking largely of his affairs, and one who found it not easy to give expression to the deeper emotions of his nature.

### Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering in through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Remedy is sold by F. E. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and immediately cures. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c per bottle. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### RUMFORD FALLS.

Village Corporation Meeting. Moderator—Waldo Pettengill. Assessors—Walter G. Morse, Arthur Gaudier, J. A. Nye. Street Overseers—Fred O. Eaton. Col.—Fred Hubbard. Chief fire department—F. B. Carroll.

Street lights, hydrants, poles, etc., \$3,500. Fire department, 8,000. Debt and interest, 1,000. Street sprinkling, 1,000. Watchman's register, 200.

No discount on taxes but interest is to be charged on taxes unpaid. Voted to increase the hydrants. The matter of increased lights was left to the assessors. Voted to employ five or more police. The matter of the automatic police telegraph was left to the chief engineer. The matter of buying a lot for building a permanent fire station was left to the assessors.

The ice has gone out of the river. Mrs. Chester Bisbee is visiting in Roxbury.

Schools commenced the spring terms last week.

The Dutton Lumber mill will start up next week.

Thelma Thomas of Canton visited in town last week.

Several new automobiles will be owned in town this season.

Hazel Bennett of Knox street is out again after a serious illness.

Mrs. W. W. Small, who was injured by a fall on the ice, is recovering.

E. S. Swift and wife are guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Martin.

Morris Oliver, engineer for the power company, has been visiting in Bath.

Strathglass Commandery will attend services Easter Sunday at Dixfield in a body.

Judge Johnson is suffering from blood poisoning, the result of a silver in his hand.

Mrs. Charles Howe and Mrs. Charles Burdett entertained ten tables of whist Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Blanche A. Bartlett, who has been caring for Mrs. John Wyman for a few weeks, has gone home.

Rev. Charles Harbutt, secretary of the Maine Missionary society, preached at the Mexico Congregational church last Sunday.

Harry B. Crawford and Edith Dewhurst were married at the Methodist parsonage Wednesday evening, Mar. 22, by Rev. G. A. Martin.

The Oxford Paper Co. will immediately commence building a cutting up mill at the head of the falls. The company is also to add two new paper machines to the plant.

Harold Smith, who has been employed by the P. & R. Ry., has gone to Santa Rosa, Cal., where his mother is located. Frank Smith will complete his course at the U. of M. before going.

A special meeting of Rising Star Masonic lodge was held last week Wednesday and four candidates received the Master Mason degree. On Monday evening the Rumford Royal Arch chapter worked the Mark Master degree on several candidates. Friday evening, at a special convocation Strathglass Commandery worked the degree of Templar.

**EVER POTENT**  
to cure coughs, colds, croup, cramps, colic—that is the record of  
**JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT**  
For 64 years it has been the best.  
Price 25c; three times as much.  
50c. At all druggists.  
I. S. JOHNSON & CO.,  
Boston, Mass.

**THE LIVER**  
When the liver is sluggish and refuses to do its work properly, try  
**Parsons' Pills**  
They relieve the bowels and produce a natural flow of bile and blood.  
25c a bottle at druggists, or post-paid on receipt of price.  
I. S. JOHNSON & CO.,  
Boston, Mass.

## A BARGAIN

Good Standard Canned Tomatoes, either Trophy or Happy Valley Brand, 9c can, 3 cans 25c. Telephone Peas, 10c can. Prunes, 10c, 9c, 7c and 5c lb.

**CHAS. F. RIDLON,**

Corner Main and Danforth Sts., Norway, Me.

An invoice of Straw Mattings, bought of the importers, just in. Prices on this lot, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c and 40c yd.

Now is the time to plan for making changes in the home furnishings as spring draws near.

We have many of the requirements in furnishing the chamber, dining room, kitchen and hall.

We have had so many inquiries for Straw Mattings, that we decided to add a line which we will be pleased to show you.



# ROYAL

—Absolutely Pure—

There is no aid to the house-wife so great, as the Royal Baking Powder.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

## SOUTH HARRISON.

Freeman Fogg died, at his home, last Sunday afternoon, after a short illness. He leaves a wife, four children, a mother, two brothers and a large circle of friends to mourn their loss. The funeral was held at the house, Tuesday afternoon, and the remains were sent to Westbrook for burial.

Mr. Fogg bought the John Johnson farm in South Harrison, about two years ago, and moved there from Cumberland Mills, where he had resided for several years.

The mud is fast drying up.

Wm. Leavitt, of Cook's Mills, has visited at R. W. Fogg's.

Warren Flagg has sold his oxen to Gideon Bean of Edes Falls.

Fred Flagg begun to work for Chas. Proctor, of Naples, last Monday.

Wm. Bean, of Edes Falls, recently bought F. M. Fogg's black horse.

Mrs. Ed. Harmon, of Standish, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Pendexter.

Eugene Johnson and family were guests at Ed. Watson's of Naples, last Sunday.

## Parlor Millinery!

Mrs. F. E. Drake has opened Millinery Parlors over Stone's Drug Store and will display the latest Spring and Summer Styles, Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15.

## LOOK AT THE PRICE!

Winter Patent Flour	.....\$6.15
Good Pastry	.....6.00
Washburn Crosby's Flour	.....7.00
100 lbs. Sugar	.....6.45
25 " "	.....1.68
15 " "	.....1.00
Fancy Ponce Molasses	.....45
Choice Cooking	.....35
Nice Tea	.....32
Choice "	.....45
Best Rio Coffee	.....18
" Java and Mocha Coffee	.....28 and 30
Pure Cream Tartar	.....30 " 32
Arm & Hammer Soda	.....06

Call and see us on Grass Seed and also E. Frank Cole's Fertilizers, which we shall sell very low.

**PARTRIDGE BROTHERS,**  
NORWAY LAKE, MAINE.

## Men's Working Shoes For \$2.00

We have as good a shoe for \$2.00 as can be made for that price. They are made of first-class Oil Grain Stock and solid throughout. We have them in Lace, Congress and Greedmoor. If you want the best you had better see them before you purchase. Do not forget this is the place where you can be fitted and price is always right.

## SMILEY SHOE STORE

Opera House Block, NORWAY, MAINE.  
E. N. SWETT, Manager and Salesman.  
F. W. FAUNCE, Salesman.

## THE CHEAPEST RELIABLE POWER

In the World is the

## Stoddard Gasoline Engine

I have lately secured the agency for the Fairbanks Stoddard Gasoline Engine, also other machinery, such as Saw Benches, Saws, Cream Separators, Corn Planters in fact everything manufactured by the Stoddard people.

Anyone in want of a good economical, reliable power, will do well to call on me before buying, and learn about this Engine. I have one at my place to show you. Will be pleased to talk over the subject at any time.

Yours truly,

**F. H. BECK,**

116 Main St.

## ALBANY.

Telephone Company Organize. The Albany Telephone Company has been organized and the following officers chosen:

Pres.—Amos G. Bean.  
V. Pres.—Austin Hutchinson.  
Clerk.—Amos L. Bean.  
Treas.—Lucian Andrews.  
Directors.—Amos G. Bean, Wallace B. Cummings, Charles G. Becker, Freeman H. Bennett, and Austin Hutchinson of Albany, Dr. C. W. Coolidge of Waterford, and Fred L. Edwards of Bethel.

Six hundred dollars have been subscribed already.

Many are ill with severe colds.

Fletcher I. Bean and daughter Marion of Mason visited relatives in town one day this week.

## Songo District.

John Kimball is working for awhile with John Haygood, of Bethel.

Thomas Y. Kimball called on his friend, Newton Moore, the 30th.

Leslie N. Kimball had a crew with him last week, fitting up his wood-pile.

Trees are tapped, sap is running and quite a number around here are making honey.

Mrs. Martha Kimball spent Wednesday, the 29th, with Bryce Kimball and family.

Olds Hayford, of Hanover, passed through here on his way home and stopped over night with J. E. Good, the 28th.

Mrs. Abner B. Kimball caught a butterfly, March 31st, on the farm known as the C. C. Kimball farm, situated at the foot of Songo pond.

Mrs. Martha Kimball has started on a well earned vacation. At present she is in Bethel, the guest of Mrs. Nelson Wilbur. She expects to make a visit to Norway, Stark and Shelbourne before she returns home.

## NEWRY.

Esther Frost is quite sick with cold.

Fred Taylor's baby is quite sick at this writing.

Merton Kilgore has a smile on his face. It is a daughter.

Elmer Bailey is working for M. L. Thurston on the river.

Percy Brink's family spent the evening Saturday at A. H. Powers'.

## CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all who have assisted in so many ways since our misfortune.

## NORTH WATERFORD.

A New Proprietor.

Will Kilgore has begun work in the dorell mill recently bought of Saunders Bros. Several men are employed.

Charles Berry, of Norway, is visiting at Alden Washburn's.

There is strong talk of an electric railroad to Norway. We hope it is not all talk.

Mrs. Jennie Stone has gone home from her work at Dr. Coolidge's, and Bertha Skinner has taken her place.

Mrs. Moses Mosher and Mrs. Ellen Millett have gone to Boston. Mrs. Millett has gone for spring millinery, and Mrs. Mosher will visit her son, Everett Onley.

P. W. Saunders and wife have returned from a few days' visit with Mrs. Saunders' mother, who lives in North Albany.

Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season. Be pleased to see all her old customers.

## GREENWOOD.

Ross Coburn is at work for Ned Packard and sawing wood.

Bertha Corbett has returned home from her work in Deering.

Ross Herriock has finished work for Frank Noyes and is now at home.

Geo. Tubbs was in town Saturday and stopped with his brother over night.

Greenleaf Emery was in town last week taking orders for and delivering wall paper.

Lucy Emmons was at home Sunday from her work at Charles Stevens' of North Paris.

Stillman Cole and wife have been appointed to carry on the town farm this coming year.

Johnson Martin has gone to Massachusetts to work on a farm. His children went with him.

Walter Emmons recently lost his gray working horse. Its death was caused by getting kicked just above the hoof by its mate.

Although it was cold Sunday night, Elsie Coburn, age 6, walked from home to her grandparents, a distance of about three miles.

Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all her old customers.

It may sound like a large story, but it is a fact that a housekeeper in town caught three weasels at once in a steel trap last week and two at another, time a few days afterwards.

In the lower part of the town the snow is all gone with the exception of small patches on the hill-sides so that wheeling is exceptionally good for this time of year. Because the snow went so early is thought to be the reason why we have had no better season for making maple sugar.

## BOLSTER'S MILLS.

Josie Mains is visiting relatives in Auburn.

The sick ones are about the same as last week.

Albert Weston went to Bridgton the first of the week.

Little June Jilson had the misfortune to burn her feet with hot coffee.

Erl Scribner, who recently lost his home by fire, is stopping at Fred Weston's.

## WANTED, LOST, FOUND, ETC.

**SMALL VILLAGE FARM** For sale, situated in the northern part of Norway village. For particulars call on or address C. V. Webber, Norway, Maine. 14-17

**EGGS FOR HATCHING** From white Wyandottes and Old English Game, selected fowls, 50c per 15. B. Bacon, Norway, Maine. 14-17

**ONE HORSE** 2 wagons and 2 harnesses for sale. A good horse is a good trader and safe for anyone to drive, not afraid of automobiles or electric. S. L. Eldridge, Norway, Maine. 14-17

## TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

All persons desiring to teach in the town of Waterford during the present year, will present themselves for examination at the Schoolhouse at Waterford Flat, on Saturday, April 22, at 1 p. m.

LOUISE M. BROWNIE,  
14-16 Superintendent of Schools.

## H. L. RUSSELL

(Successor to the James Pledge Market)  
Opposite Elm House, NORWAY, ME.  
**MEATS & PROVISIONS**  
Of All Kinds  
A. T. Bennett will continue with Mr. Russell.

## ORCHARD FARM FOR SALE.

Three miles from West Paris, five from South Paris, 120 acres, well divided, wood, pasture and tillage. Between five and six hundred apple trees, seven or eight hundred cords wood, cuts 35 tons hay, good buildings, running water, cream route, rural mail and telephone lines, school, church, etc. Call on or address 14-16 E. F. BARROWS, West Paris, Maine.

## NOTICE TO WATERFORD DELINQUENT TAX PAYERS.

As per notice last town meeting day, I shall, after Saturday, April 15th, leave for collection with E. R. Smith, esq., of Norway, all bills of delinquent taxes that are not paid to me on or before that date. To save expense, settle your back taxes with me at once.

W. E. DOUGLASS,  
Collector of taxes for Town of Waterford, April 4, 1905. 14-15

## SEED CORN READY TO DELIVER.

Mr. D. M. French will be at the Norway Corn Shop daily from one to five o'clock p. m. to deliver Seed Corn. 14-17

## E. H. PIKE, West Paris, Me.

Wants to pay cash for  
**PULP WOOD OF ALL KINDS**  
At any Railroad Station. Preference given to Spruce and Fir. Call on or write him. 14-15

## FRED A. COLE,

Of Westbrook, Maine  
a brother of the late Horace Cole, has purchased the  
**Cole's Jewelry Store**  
Near Post Office NORWAY  
and invites you to call and look over his stock.

**All Kinds of Repair Work Promptly Attended To.**

## OXFORD.

Edwin F. Richmond.

The people of Oxford were shocked on Thursday morning, March 30th, by the news of the unexpected death, after a brief illness of rheumatic fever, of Edwin Forest Richmond aged 41 years. Mr. Richmond was one of the leading business men in Oxford village, he being the principal member of the firm of Richmond Brothers, who for fifteen years have owned and operated the grist and saw mills and done a flourishing business in grain and lumber.

He was the third son of the late Albion K. Richmond of South Boston, Mass., a native of East Oxford. His mother, Mrs. Harriet A. Richmond of Boston and four brothers survive him. His widow, Mrs. Louise A. Richmond, was the daughter of the late Joseph and Frances A. Robinson, so prominent in the community. Mr. Robinson having established and built up the woolen mill, the principal business of the town.

The Congregational church was filled on the following Sunday at 1:30 p. m., when the funeral services were conducted in an appropriate and impressive manner by the pastor, Rev. Frederick Newport. The Congregational church quartette of Norway, under the direction of Mrs. Fannie Horne, organist, sang beautiful selections, and the large number of roses and flowers, their last and rites with dignity and solemnity, both in the church and at the grave. The interment was in the family lot in the Congregational cemetery.

Twenty large and beautiful floral tributes from a wide circle of relatives and friends, present and absent, showed the affection and esteem in which the deceased was held.

Pillow of roses and pinks—His wife.  
Mourning of roses and pinks—His mother.  
Pillow of hyacinths and roses—His brothers.  
Harpy of pinks and roses—Mrs. Lina Carr and daughter.  
Cross of pinks and roses—G. J. Parrott and family.

Large bouquets of roses and pinks—John B. Robinson, Daniel S. Richmond, James Kay, James and Walter Holden of Oxford.  
Pillows of roses and pinks—Mrs. George Andrews, Mrs. George E. Austin, Chas. A. Robinson and H. E. Pote of Portland; Mrs. George Robinson and J. C. Robinson, South Windham; Oscar Holmes, Auburn; Mrs. Arthur Hubbard, Norway; Mr. Moorehouse, Lewiston and Richard Duggins, Rosinade, Mass.

In his death the wife loses as affectionate husband with whom she has spent happy years in their beautiful home, of one of the best of friends and neighbors, a man of high character and the community will hold him in memory as an honorable business man and a worthy citizen. He was an esteemed member of Norway Lodge of Masons, also of the Chapter and Council.

It is gratifying to the people of the town that Mr. Richmond's business is still to be carried on by his nephew, Daniel S. Richmond, who has been his faithful bookkeeper and assistant for fifteen years.

S. H. Eaton is at work in a store in Boston.

Will Bonney went to Lewiston on business Saturday.

Ida Stone is working as housekeeper for Mrs. Merrill Brackett.

Will Bumpus is about to sell his household effects, will locate in Boston.

Clinton Bumpus and wife have moved into the house formerly occupied by Carroll Davis and family.

A large number of young people went to the home of Eugene Burns, Tuesday evening, where a maple sugar party was enjoyed.

The condition of Mrs. George J. Parrott, who has been ill for some time, is such that a trained nurse, has been procured to take care of her.

Mrs. H. H. Hall, who has been ill and confined to the house for the past two years, is now improving and able to walk a short distance when the weather is fine.

Millinery opening next week Friday and Saturday, 14 and 15, at Mrs. R. L. Powers'. Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all her old customers.

Fore Street.

Mrs. E. J. Twitchell has returned to her home for the summer.

Our school begins here Monday, April 10, with Bessie Newport as teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Twitchell visited relatives in Portland, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. S. Eaton and daughter were guests at Mrs. O. A. Lovering's recently.

Edna Martin and Ethel Sparrow of Portland visited friends here over Sunday.

Charles Stanton made short work of his wood pile employing Albert Wells and his sawing machine last Tuesday. Quite an improvement over the old way.

**OTISFIELD.**

A Herd of Deer.

George Scribner saw five deer in his field, Saturday morning.

Charles Wright is on the sick list.

Hiram Edwards remains about the same.

Will Meserve lost a valuable horse, last Friday.

Mrs. H. H. Edwards is suffering with rheumatism.

Ezekiel Sylvester has been very sick the past week.

Gene Edwards and family went to Lewiston, Saturday.

Joe Stebbins is to work for Jesse Scribner, of Harrison.

Levi Maxfield of Cook's, called on friends in this place, recently.

Walter Pease swapped horses with Fred Stanley of Waterford, recently.

Algonon Ames, who has been very sick the past few weeks, is some better.

**LOVELL.**

F. C. Davis was in Portland, Saturday.

Daniel McAllister was in Norway last week.

Isaac Hobbs will work in Sweden this summer.

Carrie Hubbard will work for Mrs. E. N. Harmon this spring.

Mrs. E. M. Harmon will be away next week, selecting her stock of spring millinery.

A number went from here to the drama at the Harbor, Friday evening. They reported a good play, well played.

W. C. Bassett has put on an addition to the W. A. Eastman shop, and has a crew at work, finishing off a rent in the same.

Arthur Stevens takes Frank Harmon's place in the grist mill. Mr. Harmon is not going to leave town and his house in this village is not for sale.

True, Walker & Heald have a fine looking store, having painted the inside and made other improvements. They will have the outside painted soon, and when it is finished it will be up-to-date in every respect.

## EASTER MILLINERY OPENING

Next Week

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, APRIL 14 AND 15,

At

**MRS. R. L. POWERS'**

All invited to attend

A fine line of Trimmed, Untrimmed and Ready-to-wear Hats, all the latest novelties, etc.

Mrs. Hills will be with us this season and will be pleased to see all old customers.

## SPRING OPENING!

We invite the ladies of Norway and Paris to our spring Opening

Monday Afternoon and Evening, April 10,

We have just returned from market with a full line of

**READY-TO-WEAR CARMENTS**

Suits, Coats, Waists, Wrappers, Hosiery, Underwear, Neck wear, and a full line of Ready-to-wear Hats.

Mr. Richards of Lewiston will be here Monday afternoon and evening with an EXTRA FINE LINE of COATS, latest styles, prices right. Come to our opening if you do not buy. We are here to show our goods.

MONDAY AFTERNOON AND EVENING, APRIL 10.

**L. M. LUNT**  
SPECIALTY STORE.

Telephone 18-4 - - - 136 Main St., Norway



## RAIN COATS

Have become almost an indispensable garment in a man's wardrobe. At all seasons of the year there are many occasions calling for their use. Our new stock of these coats is in. Gray and tan coats in plaids, \$10. Plain and fancy gray worsted and cheviot coats for \$12. Plain and fancy coats, \$13.50. Several patterns of olives and grays \$15.

Rain or shine these coats are the thing.

**H. B. FOSTER,**

Norway, Me.

## FLOWER and GARDEN SEEDS

Rice's, Lyman's, Burbank's, Dunlap's and Ferry's flower and garden seeds in packages, 5 cents, 6 for 25 cents, 10 cents, 3 for 25 cents.

## Seed Peas and Beans.

Nott's Excelsior Peas	20 cents per quart
Gradus Peas	32 " "
Bliss' Everbearing Peas	15 " "
McLean's Little Gem Peas	20 " "
Admiral Dewey Peas	20 " "
Carter's Stratagem Peas	20 " "
Bliss' American Wonder Peas	22 " "
Dwarf Champion Peas	15 " "
Cleveland's Alaska Peas	12 " "
Cleveland's Eclipse Peas	20 " "
Carter's Telephone Peas	20 " "
Dwarf Telephone Peas	25 " "
Champion of England Peas	14 " "
Canada Field Peas	\$1.65 " bush.
Horticultural Pole Beans	20 cents " quart
Lowe's Champion Beans	15 " "

Sweet Peas and Nasturtium seeds in bulk.  
A limited number of Kendall & Whitney's Seed Catalogues to be given away at

## H. J. BANCs, DEPARTMENT STORE,

Norway, Me.

## OUR GO-CARTS HAVE ARRIVED!

They are built with all the latest improvements by the Heywood-Wakefield Co. who are leaders in Reed and Rattan craft.

The Collapsible device renders it possible for them to occupy the least amount of space in house or storeroom.

Don't buy till you have seen our line.

**C. B. CUMMINGS & SONS,**

NORWAY, MAINE.

## BUSINESS SPECIALS.

Under this head business notices for the week will be published. Several words to the Elastic Floor Varnish wears well without turning white, at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

All the latest ideas and fancies in and bonnets at Mrs. G. A. Allen's.

Dr. Parmenter cures pain. Read at L. I. Gilbert is ready at his work to supply the public with meats and fish. Boots and shoes repaired neatly promptly at Pine State shoe store.

Have you seen the 50 ct. change silks at Thomas Smiley's?

New ad. In this issue. Read it. Br. grocery store, Beal St.

Call and inspect the line of Ready wear hats at Mrs. R. L. Powers'.

Chocolate cocoanut nugat, a goodfection 10cts. 1b. for Saturday, Apr. 15th.

New dress skirts at L. M. Lunt's.

Pure Linseed Oil at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Mrs. F. E. Drake invites you to in the latest spring styles in millinery day and Saturday. Parlors over St. Drug Store.

Photographs, records and supplies at Hills, the jeweler.

H. F. & E. B. Andrews will have a load of Iowa horses Friday.

Green Mountain potatoes 40c per al at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

All are cordially invited to attend Millinery opening at Mrs. Allen's day and Saturday.

Best varieties of sweet pea see Stone's.

Flood & Conklin's varnishes at C. Leavitt's.

Private sale of household goods. lot set, two chamber sets, sideboard, set, ice chest and carpets at Lunt's, South Paris. Open evening, Saturday.

We have some extra good val glassware, including water sets, piece sets and berry sets. Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

For cash you will buy grass seed pure at the lowest price, also seed wheat, wheat, buckwheat and Bar fertilizers, at A. C. McCrellis'.

Wm. Tell Flour Guaranteed Best of o. w.

Have your watch and jewelry repaired at Hills'. First-class work, prices.

Mrs. V. W. Hills will be with Powers this season, and will be glad to see all her old customers.

One gal. Stock White, \$1.50, of pure linseed oil, 60 cents. Two gal. white paint \$2.10. at Wm. C. Leavitt's.

Bring old glasses to Dr. Parmenter.

Have you seen the 19 ct. neck tie at Thomas Smiley's?

Salted peanuts, 15c per lb. at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

A good trade in bananas for Saturday 15th. No. 1 fruit, medium size for 25cts. Chas. F. Midlon.

Repair work and horse shoeing prompt attention at Robert Patterson's.

Special low prices for the next 10 on men's and women's Oxfords, cing of samples and misfits, at the State shoe store.

Green stamps at L. M. Lunt's.

Elastic Floor Varnishes at W. Leavitt's.

Easter Opening at Mrs. R. L. Powers, April 14 and 15, all invited.

Good dairy butter taken in exchange for groceries. Brooks' grocery, Beal St.

Another new lot of 12 1/2 ct. mus. Thomas Smiley's.

You will not find any second glasses at Hills', the optician.

Turpentine, varnish stains, at W. Leavitt's.

Spring Millinery Opening of Hats and Bonnets at Mrs. G. A. Allen's Friday and Saturday, April 14 and 15.

Room paper, new lines at Stone's.

Nobby walking skirts at L. M. Lunt's.

If you have a camera you would sell or exchange, see Cottage studio.

Read what S. B. & C. S. Price to say about trading stamps on a page.

Mrs. F. E. Drake, for the past 12 head milliner at Mrs. Hills', has rooms over Stone's Drug Store. Invited at the Millinery Opening, Friday and Saturday.

Pure White Lead at Wm. C. Leavitt's. Fresh laid eggs 15c per dozen at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

If you have a camera that is sure is working all right see Cottage studio ad.

See ad. Seamless work shoe per pair.

Blood oranges 15c per dozen at Brooks' grocery store, Beal St.

The exhibition of the Easter hats bonnets that will be displayed at A. Allen's, display a series of of fable surprises in beauty and elegance.

Stock White, for outside work, strong, economical and white as snow. Wm. C. Leavitt's.

## NORWAY AND VICINITY.

Chas. E. Brooks, Bates '00, turned to college.

Annie C. Bagley is visiting relatives in Vermont for a few weeks.

The Quiet club met Tuesday evening with Mrs. M. W. Sampson.

John Walker and wife have gone to Poland Spring for the season.

Ned Cross spent two days with friends in Lewiston last week.

John Hayes has moved his family to the Baker house on Main street.

There will be no preaching service at the Methodist church, Sunday morning. The Barton Reading club meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Park.

C. H. Loughton started Tuesday business trip to the eastern part of state, expecting to be gone a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fifield from Baltimore, Md., this week, has been attending medical college.

## Norway Municipal Council.

Maitland Collins was in court day morning, on complaint of Prescott, and received a sentence of 30 days, for larceny. Collins has been boarding at Prescott's Norway B. House, and pledged as security an unpaid board bill, a dress suit, a lin. overcoat and revolver.

morning he took these articles and up the line on the paper train.

Detective A. P. Bassett was notified to Berlin, found the man brought him back for trial.